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Catholic Schools Important For
the Welfare of Our
Country.

Extracts From Excellent Plea of
the Right Rev. Bishop
Shahan.

Modern Conditions That Show
Necessity For Catholic
Education.

THE YOUNG MIND AND HEART

The Central Bureau of the Cen-
tral Verein has just issued a review
of Bishop Shahan's excellent plea
for Catholic schools, from which we
extract the following.

The root idea of Catholic educa-
tion is the intimate binding of the
human individual with God. God is
our maker, ruler and judge, our
end and reward. We can not es-
cape this primal fact of existence,
so deep and original, so all pervad-
ing that it overshadows and con-
tains the whole range of being, and
alone furnishes the key to the end-
less problems of nature, history and
life. It is quite true that man has
other relations, e. g., social and
political, but it is also true that
they are the creation of the indi-
vidual, shaped and colored by his
early training and its consequent
temper or bias.

The Catholic church has always
bravely and successfully faced this
issue, the recognition of God's su-
preme place in the individual's
rights, law, honor, service and
worship. Her entire career is a
commentary on St. Paul's brave and
lucid discourse to the men of Ath-
ens. Since then no human consid-
erations have ever swayed her from
teaching mankind the existence of
God, the attributes of his divine
nature and his loving concern for
man's welfare, temporal and spiri-
tual. When the little Catholic child
learns the opening lines of the
catechism and grasps the great fact
that he is God's beloved creature,
made to know, love and serve his
Maker, he has acquired a working
philosophy of life, a compass of its
stormy sea, which will insure his
spiritual safety where others perish
unhappily for lack of right knowl-
edge of the nature and purpose of
human life.

While the social order was gen-
erally religious, this peculiar office
of the church needed no insistence,
no defense or protection. But mod-
ern conditions, i. e., profound er-
rors in philosophy, the material
guide of life, the modern scientific
persecution, suspicion and hatred,
operating on a large scale and with
conscious persistence, have com-
pelled the Catholic church every-
where to look carefully into the
foundations of her life and the
probable state of the future order
of the world. In other words, the
education of every Catholic child
becomes a principal preoccupation
of Catholic authority. In a dim
and latent way the idea of God is
ever present to the young mind, as
it were a light shining overgrowth,
but this vague sense needs de-
velopment, correction, protection.
It needs to grow as the body and
mind of the child grow, in other
words, gradually, the object of sym-
pathetic care and intelligent for-
mation. It needs proper nutrition
and adverse influences must be
counteracted and if possible nulli-
fied. The healthy germs of a re-
ligious philosophy of life must be
wisely planted and sedulously tend-
ed, lest they decay and die on poor
soil or amid noxious overgrowth.
The right knowledge of God, or
true religion, is the best moral
panacea for the ills of life, and on
it the child must one day depend
amid temptation, failure, disillusion,
poverty, sorrow, injustice and op-
pression, ailments bodily and spiri-
tual. If he be not well grounded
in the knowledge of God, above all
if he be unconscious of God's love
and mercy, of another and a perfect
world, of redemption and immor-
tality, he is likely to become a cast-
away, a drifting peril to himself
and to others.

The Catholic child, brought up in
Catholic schools, is placed in the
most favorable conditions for im-
bibing these great fundamental
principles of education and for
grasping also the true meaning of
man, human life, all nature and all
history. The Catholic school
actually reproduces, for the brief
span of childhood, an ideal world,
in which human thought and human
life move along the lines of the
divine will, in which the spirit of
Christ's gospel is daily commended
and exemplified, in which the
charms of Christian virtue and the
evil consequences of all wrong-do-
ing are inculcated with precision
and authority, and wherein the child
meets at all times a moral unity of
doctrine and discipline.

Perhaps under perfect conditions
the home would suffice for such a
desirable training, but the modern
home at least is notoriously so help-
less for the religious training of
children, is itself so often the mir-
ror and echo of all the moral evils
of our social life, that it can no
longer be safely trusted as the nor-
mal guide and protector of the
minds and hearts of the young. The
Catholic school furnishes the Chris-
tian atmosphere, lacking or weak in
many homes, and in that holy at-
mosphere grows normally all good
impulses and tendencies, all efficient
motions of divine grace, all the best

forms and principles of life, relig-
ious and secular. The Catholic
school is thus very truly a nursery
of all the best qualities of the
young mind and heart, of the vir-
tues on which the safety and sanc-
tity of the home itself must de-
pend.

But if God is the source and
fountain of our liberties and of all
the other blessings which we as
a free people enjoy, should He not
have a place in the school which
undertakes to train the child in
the duties and rights of American
citizenship? The answer given to
this question by the Catholic school
is the only answer consistent with
the principles on which our Govern-
ment is founded. It is the practical
application of the thought expressed
by Washington in his farewell ad-
dress.

Now, our country with all its
progress and its prowess is neither
so strong nor so far advanced to-
ward the ideals of its founders that
it can dispense with "national mor-
tality." And if education is to be
a means for the furtherance of our
national welfare it can not afford to
take as its basis the "exclusion of
religious principle," i. e., to ignore
God in the national system of men-
tal training and moral discipline,
and all that this sublime and pre-
gnant ideal stands and ever has stood
for.

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RETIRING TO NAZARETH.

Sister Euphrasia, founder and for
more than forty years Mother Su-
perior of St. Joseph's Hospital at
Lexington, ended her active work
there Sunday and on Monday re-
turned to Nazareth Academy, where
she took her final vows as a Sister
of Charity more than fifty-two years
ago. Sister Mary John will suc-
ceed her as Superior. Several
months ago Sister Euphrasia re-
luctantly ended the routine work
in the hospital management, but
kept her plans regarding her retire-
ment to Nazareth from all except
a few of her most intimate associ-
ates at the hospital. Two years ago
Sister Euphrasia celebrated her
golden jubilee as a Sister of Char-
ity, more than thirty-eight years
after she had come to the Bluegrass
capital and established St. Joseph's
Hospital when the city was without
such an institution. During the
time she was at the head of the
hospital she endeavored to be to all
with whom she came in contact,
and the great hospital is a monu-
ment to her devotion. During the
terrible smallpox epidemic which
swept over Louisville soon after
the civil war Sister Euphrasia led
a band of nurses who others had
faltered in offering help until the
dead plague was stamped out. She
came to Kentucky in her girlhood
from a home of luxury in Pittsburgh
to enter the academy at Nazareth,
and has lived all of her time here
since. She is eighty-five years old.
Her name in the world was
Stafford.

WELCOME SUPREME KNIGHT.

James A. Flaherty, of Philadel-
phia, Supreme Knight of the
Knights of Columbus, was given an
old-fashioned Kentucky welcome
when he made his official visit to
Louisville Council last Monday
night, being greeted by a gathering
that crowded the hall. Supreme
Knight Flaherty delivered a force-
ful and witty address, giving high
praise to the Knights of Louisville
and Kentucky for their energy and
loyalty and the success of their
many laudable undertakings. The
Right Rev. Denis O'Donoghue,
Bishop of Louisville, attended the
meeting and made an address.
Other speakers were the Very Rev.
T. L. Crowley, Prior of the Do-
minican Convent, who delivered the
address in response to that of the
Supreme Knight; the Rev. Jeremiah
P. O'Mahoney, Chaplain of the
council; the Rev. E. A. Baxter, O.
P.; Judge Matt O'Doherty, Edward
J. McDermott and District Deputy
Damien M. Cooper, of Elizabethtown.
From here the Supreme
Knight went to Elizabethtown and
Lebanon for official visits, then
leaving for his home.

PRESENT FROM FRIENDS.

John P. Hanley, the genial Treas-
urer of the Kentucky Distillers
and Warehouse Company, passed
another milestone Tuesday, when he
was presented with a handsome
solid gold Knights of Columbus
watch chain, set with rubies and
diamonds, at a surprise banquet
given in his honor at the Hotel
Henry Watterson by officers and
heads of departments of the concern
with which he is connected. The
banquet was in celebration of his
birthday anniversary and his long
service with the Kentucky Company.
A happy presentation speech was
made by Austin J. Lynch, who
acted as toastmaster. Guest guests
were presented with a souvenir,
it was decided to hold an annual
company banquet in the future.
The speakers of the evening were
J. Tyler Richards, T. B. Newman,
T. E. Darlington and W. B. O'Neill,
recently appointed Assistant General
Manager of the company.

MEMENTO TO BISHOP.

The Union of the Holy Name So-
cieties of the diocese of Providence
has presented a check for \$1,500 to
Right Rev. Bishop Harkins for the
establishment of a scholarship at
La Salle Academy. The "Holy
Name Scholarship" is a memorial
to the late Bishop Doran, the first
Supreme Spiritual Director of the
Union. It will be awarded in com-
petitive examination, and will be
open to every worthy Catholic boy
of the diocese, regardless of
whether he be graduate of a
parochial or public school.

VETOED

President Disapproves Literacy
Test in the Immigration
Bill.

Explains Position and Objec-
tions in Message to the
House.

Might Lead to Very Delicate and
Hazardous Diplomatic
Situations.

CARDINAL GIBBONS PROTESTS

As had been predicted, President
Wilson on Monday vetoed the im-
migration bill passed recently by
Congress, because of its literacy test
provision. It was the second time
that President Wilson had vetoed
an immigration bill because of the
literacy test, and for the same rea-
son similar measures were given
vetoes by Presidents Taft and Cleve-
land. The President's veto message
to the House, in which the bill or-
iginated, follows:

"I very much regret to return
this bill without my signature. In
most of the provisions of the bill
I should be very glad to con-
cur, but I can not rid myself of the
conviction that literacy test consti-
tutes a radical change in the policy
of the nation which is not justified
in principle. It is not a test of
character, of quality, or of personal
fitness, but would operate in most
cases merely as a penalty for lack
of opportunity in the country from
which the alien seeking admission
came. The opportunity to gain an
education is in many cases one of
the chief opportunities sought by
the immigrant in coming to the
United States, and the experience of
the past has not been that the il-
literate immigrant is as such an
undesirable immigrant. Tests of
quality and of purpose can not be
objected to on principle, but tests
of opportunity surely may be.

"Moreover, even if this test
might be equitably insisted on, one
of the exceptions proposed to its
application involves a provision
which might lead to very delicate
and hazardous diplomatic situations.
The bill exempts from the operation
of the literacy test all who have
been in the country for a certain
period of time. It is evident that
this shall prove to the satisfaction
of the proper immigration officer or
to the Secretary of Labor that they
are seeking admission to the
United States to avoid religious per-
secution in the country of their last
residence, whether such per-
secution be evidenced by overt
acts or by laws or governmental
regulations that discriminate against
the alien or the race to which he
belongs because of his religious
faith. Such a provision, so applied
and administered, would oblige the
officer concerned in effect to pass
judgment upon the laws and prac-
tices of a foreign government and
declare that they did or did not
constitute religious persecution.
This would, to say the least, be a
most invidious function for any ad-
ministrative officer of this Govern-
ment to perform, and it is not only
possible but probable that very
serious questions of international
justice and comity would arise be-
tween this Government and the gov-
ernment or governments thus offi-
cially condemned should its exercise
be adopted.

"I dare say that these conse-
quences were not in the minds of
the proponents of this provision,
but the provision separately and in
itself renders it unwise for me to
give my assent to this legislation in
its present form."
When the message was read in
the House it was ordered to lie on
the table until Thursday morning,
and champions of the bill began
laying their plans for an effort to
override the veto. Chairman Bur-
nett announced that he would move
for a vote Thursday. The bill
which the President vetoed passed
the House last March by a vote of
308 to 87 and the Senate in Decem-
ber by 64 to 7.

Cardinal Gibbons entered a strong
protest against the bill, the fol-
lowing statement, given out last
week:
"It is disappointing to many
thoughtful citizens that the im-
migration bill has passed both houses
of Congress. By this measure illi-
terates will in the future be ex-
cluded from entrance into this
country. It is to be hoped that
Mr. Wilson will act with the same
good judgment as he has done on a
former like occasion, and veto the
bill. Similar bills have been vetoed
by preceding Presidents, and have
been constant of the harmful ef-
fect this test of literacy would have
upon desirable immigration. Illit-
eracy should not be confounded
with ignorance. There is an old
axiom which reads that 'intellec-
tual attainments are not the test
of virtue.' Many of the most dan-
gerous members of the community
are men of keen and trained intel-
lect, but of depraved morals. The
normal sturdy illiterate has a re-
ceptive mind, capable of early de-
velopment. Had the United States
refused such illiterates from the
beginning of our Government our
country would have lost the benefit
of their virtue, thrift, industry and
enterprising spirit. And the de-
spondents of such forbearers are an
honor to their fathers, and a credit
and an asset to our country, for
they have been rapidly incorporated
and identified with the native
population by the assimilating pro-

cess of education and the common
use of the English tongue. In con-
sequence of this it would be hard
to differentiate the children of for-
eign immigrants from those of na-
tive American parents."

HEART ATTACK FATAL.

The entire city was thrown into
gloom when news spread Tues-
day evening that Edward D. O'Con-
nor, Bailiff of the Police Court and
one of Louisville's most widely



known public citizens, had unex-
pectedly passed from this life, heart
trouble causing his death. Though
he had been complaining for several
weeks only a few friends knew of
his illness and to court attaches
and others he explained that he
expected to be on the job in less
than a week.

Edward D. O'Connor was born in
Louisville about forty-five years
ago, and since he became a
candidate for the office of Police
Magistrate of the Seventh Magis-
trates district in 1905 and was re-
elected at the following election.
About three years ago he was
chosen to fill the vacancy caused by
the death of the late Patrick Moran,
Bailiff of Police Court, and was a
candidate for another term. Mr.
O'Connor was popular as an attor-
ney, being admitted to the bar at
Frankfort. He was a member of
the Knights of Columbus, the
Ancient Order of Hibernians, and
for many years was active in the
Moose Green Club. Mr. O'Connor
married Miss Gertrude Bannan, daugh-
ter of the late Patrick Bannan, head
of the Bannan Pipe Company, twenty-
three years ago. Besides his
widow he leaves two children, Ed-
ward D. O'Connor and Miss Winifred
O'Connor. He was a brother of
Assistant City Attorney Will
O'Connor and James C. O'Connor,
an attorney, of Louisville. He also
leaves his mother, Mrs. Christopher
O'Connor. The funeral was held
yesterday morning at St. James
church with requiem high mass,
and was one of the most largely
attended ever seen there.

The active pallbearers were Capt.
Benjamin Pulford, B. J. Campbell,
J. B. Campbell, Charles J. Cronan,
James P. Reedy, Clay Hill, Frank
Dugan and John Cassidy. Hono-
rary pallbearers were Col. James
P. Whalen, Judge Samuel J. Bold-
rick, Judge Harry W. Robinson, Ed-
ward T. Tierney, Frank McGrath,
Michael J. Brennan, John Hannon,
James Dennis, Fred Hill, William
Dennis, Joseph Keyer and James
O'Connor.

RETREAT FOR KNIGHTS.

The retreat for the Knights of
Columbus and the Catholic men of
Louisville to be conducted by the
Rev. Father Cassidy, S. J., of
Creighton University, will open at
the Cathedral on Wednesday even-
ing, February 14, and close the
following Sunday night, when the
public will be welcome. Doctrinal
and moral subjects will form the
discourses of the eminent Jesuit.
Father Cassidy has won a national
reputation as a pulpit orator and
his books have received the highest
commendation of noted churchmen
of America and Europe.

ATTENDS SILVER JUBILEE.

The Rev. Father J. J. Fitzgerald,
pastor of St. Leo's church, Highland
Park, left last Sunday for New
York City, in response to an invita-
tion to attend the silver jubilee
celebration of the Sisters of St. Joseph.
The celebration was held yesterday
and was an event of much interest
in Catholic religious circles. Sister
Sebastian is a native of Owensboro.

MACKIN COUNCIL.

The meeting of Mackin Council
brought out a good attendance Mon-
day night, when important matters
were discussed and the desks
cleared of all business. Announce-
ment was made that the retreat for
the young men of the city would be
held at St. Anthony's church, end-
ing on Passion Sunday, but the
name of the clergyman who will
conduct it was not made known. A
movement was started for Mackin
to give a big minstrel show some
time after Lent.

FORTY HOURS.

The Forty Hours' Devotion in
St. Martin's church will begin to-
morrow morning with procession
and high mass, coming to a solemn
close Tuesday evening. This will
be a time of grace for the people
of the parish, who will approach the
sacraments in large numbers.
Priests from other churches will as-
sist at all the services.

PROHIBITION

Like Charity Should Begin At
Home in the Opinion of
Many.

Haly and Beckham Receive Sup-
port of Frankfort Liquor
Dealers.

Brumleve Says Greene Will Not
Be On Anti-Administration
Slate.

MIX AND SCHULMAN ANNOUNCE

The daily papers this week con-
tained the important news that Gen.
Percy Haly and Senator Beckham
were in conference at Washington
and previous to that conference the
Senator had been on a tour of Ohio
advocating prohibition and urging
the voters of that State to kill the
sale of liquor when that question
comes up for a vote this year. It
was rumored that the Haly-Beckham
conference was to further plan for
the spread of prohibition in Ohio,
and many who know wonder why
these two worthy prohibition sup-
porters do not begin their reform
move in Frankfort. A prominent
Democrat of the capital in dis-
cussing this with a representative
of the Kentucky Irish American
said:

"The late election in Frankfort
for the selection of Democratic pre-
dict committee men twenty-five of
the thirty licensed liquor dealers of
Frankfort supported the Haly-Beckham
choice, and this despite the fact
that the Haly-Beckham candi-
dates would be expected to declare
for prohibition in the Democratic
councils."

To an outsider this seems queer
that the two most pronounced State-
wide prohibitionists in the State
should be lined up with the liquor
men of their own community for
control of the Democratic party, and
one wonders if either side can not
be charged with hypocrisy. In sup-
porting prohibition candidates the
liquor men can not be sincere and
in working hand in glove with the
liquor men the sincerity of Haly
and Beckham is open to question.

The statement was made in these
columns last week that ex-Park
Commissioner Ben Brumleve and
County Judge Sam Greene were be-
hind a movement to bring out what
would be known as an anti-adminis-
tration ticket in the primary to cap-
ture the Democratic nominations.
Mr. Brumleve telephoned the writer
that as far as he was concerned this
statement was absolutely true and
that he and his friends would an-
nounce the names of the opposition
candidates in a few days, but that
Judge Greene had no part in the
movement, and Mr. Brumleve stated
that he believed that Judge Greene
was an administration choice, and
to substantiate this there was no
invitation extended to the Judge
to participate in the conference held
by the anti-administration organiza-
tion. Mr. Brumleve further said
that he would be a candidate for
one of the prominent offices on this
slate.

As stated before, this slate or
any other set of candidates should
cause no friction in the Democratic
ranks, and the Evening Post re-
echoed that sentiment the other day
in saying that while the prominent
leaders will support Messrs. Bing-
ham, Scholz and Cox, the combined
effort of County Commissioners, no
combined effort should be made to
dissuade any other Democrat from
furthering his candidacy for the
same office. This voices the spirit
of real Democracy, and as an ex-
State Senator said the other day
he heartily indorses the suggestion
of the Kentucky Irish American for
the Democratic Committee to let the
bars down and let every one enter
who cares to rest his case with the
Democratic voters, who are the gov-
erning powers of Democracy. Free
and untrammelled rivalry in the
primary will necessarily make a
strong ticket in November.

The friends of Loraine Mix have
already begun an active canvass in
his behalf for the nomination for
County Judge, and from present
indications it will be a personal
organization of untold strength in
the primary. One striking fact
stands out in regard to Mr. Mix's
candidacy and that is in no matter
what group of Democrats politics
and politicians are discussed you
will find them unanimous in words
of praise for his personality in
private and public life.

Squire Ben Schulman has an-
nounced his candidacy for re-elec-
tion as Magistrate of the Sixth
Magistrates district, and on his re-
cord in office it is believed he will
have no opposition in Democratic
circles for the nomination. Squire
Schulman has served as Magistrate
for the past four years, and despite
the criticism showered on the Fiscal
Court in the past he was given ex-
ceptional praise by the press and
public alike for his stand against
the loose methods of that body. Im-
mediately following his election in
1913 Squire Schulman began his
courageous fight for the taxpayers,
not only of his district but of the
entire county, and his nomination
will be but a just tribute to his
past course.

Mayor Buschmeyer will an-
nounce his appointment to the office
of Bailiff of the Police Court, suc-
ceeding the late Ed O'Connor, and
as in every instance of this kind
the names of many are flying about
on the wings of political rumor,

among them being "Bud" Norton,
present Deputy Bailiff; John Mc-
Devitt, Tom McDonough, Will Den-
nis and others. The appointee will
of course be a candidate in the com-
ing primary. The only other candi-
date announced thus far is Coun-
cillman M. J. McDermott, who has
received many pledges of support
from Democratic leaders, but also
the pretty near unanimous support
of union labor.

VIOLENT ASSAULT.

Judge Matt O'Doherty, one of
Kentucky's best known and most
highly esteemed citizens, was the
victim of a violent assault just be-
fore midnight Monday. When the
assault occurred Judge O'Doherty
was walking to his home in the
Plaza after attending a meeting at
the Knights of Columbus Hall. Sev-
eral friends left the hall at the
same time and accompanied the
Judge part of the way, but all had
turned into side streets before St.
James Court was reached. As the
Judge passed to the opposite side
of the street from Central Park,
two young men wearing black hats
pulled down over their faces sprang
from the darkness and attacked
him from the rear. One of the
men grabbed the Judge around the
neck. Despite his sixty years Judge
O'Doherty knocked the man to the
ground by a blow in the neck. Be-
hind the man on the ground could
gain his feet the other man struck
the Judge with a bowler he picked
from the gutter, and then both ran,
having realized the pugnacity and
irish spirit of their victim. The
injured Judge managed to make
his way to his front door, where
he was met by Mrs. O'Doherty, who
notified the police. A squad of
police from the Sixth district sta-
tion hunted the neighborhood for
the men without success. Judge
O'Doherty was able to give the
police only a meager description of
the men, only that both appeared
to be young. The motive of the
men is thought by the Judge and
the police to have been to assault
and not robbery.

MEXICAN JUSTICE.

Two Mexican prelates, Archbishop
Orozco, of Guadalajara, and Bishop
de la Mora, of Zacatecas, returned
to their sees, not long since, in the
hope of rendering service to the
stricken people. Scarcely had they
arrived when the Carranzistas be-
gan to scour the country in order
to apprehend them. The search
proved successful and word was
passed that the prelates were to be
court-martialed and shot, on the
charge of conspiring against Carranza
by furnishing financial aid to
Villa. The accusation is as false
as it is stupid. Both prelates have
been penitents for four years or
more. During that time they have
been living on the charity of friends.
Moreover, circumstances would have
rendered it impossible for them to
get in touch with Villa even had
they desired to do so. It is strange
indeed that two inoffensive prelates
in the distant State of Zacatecas
could send aid to Villa in Chihuahua,
at a time when two armies
were striving to catch sight of him.
This latest outrage is but an inci-
dent in a relentless persecution car-
ried on by the Carranzistas at the
very time they are proclaiming lib-
erty of conscience and freedom of
worship. No one believes the charge
against the prisoners, not even their
accusers, but unfortunately the ab-
surdity of the accusation does not
stay the hand of Mexican mur-
derers. The protest from President
Wilson may save their lives.

MEETS ON SUNDAY.

Another meeting of the C. K. of
A. Social Club will be held to-
morrow afternoon, when it is expected
a number of new members will
present themselves for enrollment.
This club, only a month old, will
soon have 100 members and add
life to the order in this city. Com-
mittees are arranging for a big
euchre and lotto reception to be
held at St. Martin's Hall on Febru-
ary 19. The club will also enter-
tain its friends with a St. Patrick's
day reception at the Watterson Ho-
tel.

MISREPRESENTATION.

Hardly a week passes that we
do not read something about the
Pope's attitude toward one or other
of the belligerents. As was to be
expected, considering the fact that
sources of such news, the Pope is
invariably represented as favoring
the Allies. Now we must impress
on our readers the fact that the
Pope is interested only in peace and
that all reports of his favoring any
one set of belligerents are false. The
London liars have a purpose in thus
misrepresenting the august head of
the church. For one thing it will
help to give the Irish all over the
world a better opinion of England
and her allies. For another, it will
help to reconcile the populations of
France and of Italy herself with
the un-Christian faith to their
un-Christian governments.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S EUCHRE.

There will be a euchre and lotto
for the benefit of St. Augustine's
church next Thursday afternoon
and evening in St. Augustine's
Hall, 1308 West Broadway, and in
addition there will be an elegant
lunch served and other refresh-
ments.

NOW COL. YOUNG.

It is now Col. Louis H. Young,
this popular member of McGrath
& Company's office force having
just been appointed a Colonel on
Gov. Stanley's staff, and he is now
considering the application of Jack
McGrath (Charles Chaplain), who
wants to be an aide to the newly
appointed Colonel.

IRELAND

The Present Year as Viewed by
Delmar Radbourne, an
American.

Way Paved For an Irish House
of Commons and Irish
Senate.

Fears of Losing the War Have
Seized the Minds of the
Loyalists.

PREMIERS TO ASSEMBLE SOON

Representing the Irish Press and
News Service, Delmar Radbourne,
an American, writes from Belfast:
A full Irish agitation or a sort
of numbness prevails at the opening
of the new year—what might be
described in America as a period of
"watchful waiting." No one knows
what to expect in the way of a
change in government, but all sides
feel there are secret understand-
ings among the leaders of the new
War Ministry, soon to be revealed,
which will pave the way for an
Irish House of Commons and an
Irish Senate. The Colonial Pre-
miers to meet in London this month
have agreed in advance to recom-
mend some form of settlement of
the Irish autonomy question. The
plans are based on the hopes of
breaking down Irish disloyalty. Im-
portant concessions will be made to
Ulster, even to the extent of giving
Ulster a disproportionate share in the
proposed new government of
Ireland, including guarantees for
the provincial safety of Ulster by
some form of provincial legislature.
The liberation of the Irish rebels
has not affronted the Belfast Union-
ists as badly as expected. The
abolishment of martial law will
not stir up great opposition here.

A great change has come over
this corner of Ireland since the fear
of losing the war has seized the
minds of the loyalists. The gravest
information as to the progress
of the war was furnished the people
of Ireland. The breakdown of the
Asquith Ministry, the scarcity of
food, the collapse of the Allies' campaign in the Far East, the dead-
lock on the Western front, all these
disasters were finally seen and the truth
fell on the Tory elements with
crushing force. This fear, of
common danger impels them to ac-
cept the lesser of two insecurities.
They prefer to face the rule of a
temporary Irish Government, than
the fate of the British Empire may
be averted. They have not changed
their opinions, it must be said. But
they do finally recognize the danger
that confronts them of defeat in
the war—of a ruined Ulster as well
as a ruined England. All these
measures of self-government is
granted Ireland may not sufficient
Irish soldiers in Ireland, Canada
and Australia be secured to change
the tide of war and wrest victory
from the enemy? Will Russia drop
out of the war? Will the German
position in America be im-
proved, for after all the United
States is responsive to the feeling
in Dublin rather than Belfast.

The agents of the new Premier,
the powerful shipping men threat-
ened with the destruction of Belfast
shipping, are working hand in hand
to cultivate this feeling and break
down the opposition of the profes-
sional Orange politicians who have
lived so long on politics—religious
rancor. Whether they will be suc-
cessful in eradicating Ulster oppo-
sition to a home rule bill time
will tell and the decision is not far off.
Policy, opportunism and national de-
fense are the forces working for
concessions if not surrender of the
Unionist party. The fate of Ire-
land is a world question for it is
inseparably linked with international
war problems. The German ship
attempting to land 20,000 rifles and
machine guns on the shores of dis-
affected Kerry but eight months
since is a grim specter which the
Unionists have never to see again
if home rule is made into a reality.
In Derry and in Antrim and Down
these views are being exchanged.
The prospects of a settlement are
considered the brightest in three
years.

There is not much genuine feeling
for enforced military service, as we
have been led to believe was so gen-
eral among the Irish loyalists. The
demand is only on the surface. Their
skins are safe and secretly they
are praying that Ireland con-
tinue in being exempted. They are
all at work in shops and shipyards
and they prefer the plan of starving
the Nationalists from employment,
thus forcing the unfortunates into
the army. Equality of sacrifice is
the term used and the Tory munition
workers, well paid, console
themselves by the thought that he
is working for his country at home
and, if the Nationalist or the Sinn
Feiner can not find work, as he
can not leave the island, he will
finally drift into the maw of the
military service act.

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WAR'S CRISIS.

Germany's declaration for unrestricted submarine warfare is the super-crisis of all those acts that have stirred this country since the outbreak of the war. The pro-British press demands hasty action and precipitate entrance into the European struggle, but the real and conservative American still prays that for this country peace may prevail. Taking this view, the New York American says "it is a time to walk warily, to decide coolly, to be very sure of each step and very confident of each decision. And certainly we must assure the President that whatever the issue may be, the nation is loyally behind him. We are profoundly hopeful that our own peace can be maintained and that Mr. Wilson will find a way to do so with honor. But if it is to be his lot to find no other way to walk in honor except with the sword in hand, which God forbid! then we will walk loyally in that way with him."

The San Francisco Chronicle also would avoid hasty and ill-considered action and gives this advice: "Looked at in a practical way, and it should be remembered that none of the belligerents has respected the provisions of international law, Germany is simply cutting loose from all restraints and proceeding on the principle that all is fair in warfare, and that is best which makes for victory. It is a desperate move, but America can and should do nothing until she is specifically injured."

The European war is not our war, and therefore we hope that this country may not in any way become involved, as the loss and damage would be irreparable. Our prayers are for peace and honor.

PRAISES GOV. STANLEY.

The following praise was given Gov. Stanley in last week's issue of America, recognized as one of this country's foremost Catholic publications:

"The Governor of Kentucky has done himself proud and given a sadly needed lesson to a lawless age. His words are as a breeze from the sea, and may well be taken to heart by rulers and people alike. All need the spirit of Kentucky's Governor, but all will not acquire it, for he evidently believes that law is of God, and hence not a trifling thing to be flouted at will. But how few Americans believe even in God. There is the chief difficulty."

BIRDS OF FEATHER.

The Menace in its latest issue contains a pitiful wail for help for the Light, a recent new-comer in anti-Catholic journalism, but which seems to be meeting the fate that is surely coming to the Menace—extinction. The Menace says the Light editor was removed from the staff of the Masonic official organ here because of his attacks on Catholics and begs that some of its dupes follow him, and hence not a trifling thing to be flouted at will. But how few Americans believe even in God. There is the chief difficulty.

JAIL THEM.

For insolent disregard of the rights of others no one approaches the driver of the high power car—excepting the other drivers of high power cars. The jail is the place for the automobilists who make travel unsafe for the mass of people, and not one sentenced should receive pardon. On not one street in Louisville is attention paid the traffic ordinances, especially that requiring machines to keep to the right side.

BOOMERANG.

The decision of the Supreme Court that the Webb-Kenyon act is constitutional will prove a boomerang to the Prohibitionists. Herefore express companies did a thriving business carrying into prohibition States liquors. They were apparently protected under interstate laws. Now that they can not transport liquor into prohibition States they may spend money to defeat prohibition, as they spent money heretofore to defeat license. Stopping the transportation of liquor means a financial loss to them. Likewise when our millionaire friends in prohibition States can no longer have their liquor shipped

into their wine cellars, and may no longer quaff the good old madeira at their banquets, we may expect to see them rush to the ballot box for relief from the imposed tyranny. Like everything else, "too much" is bad for the system, so "too much" prohibition is bad for the cause. As the Boston Hibernian intimates, the Webb-Kenyon law may therefore, like many a pampered child, prove a disappointment to its parents.

WOULD TRY AGAIN.

The elevation of Alderman O'Neill to the Mayoralty of Dublin shows that the citizens of the metropolis are still as patriotically inclined as they were during Easter week; that in fact they would try again if they got a chance. Alderman O'Neill was one of those arrested because of his sympathy with the insurrection, and he is still unrepentant. The new Lord Mayor, however, has no delusions about the Irish cause. He declares himself ready to put his shoulder to the wheel in any and every movement that will help Ireland, and adds significantly that only those who come as the friends of an autonomous Ireland can expect a welcome at the Mansion House during his term of office. This is the proper spirit, so we wish him "good luck."

ENEMY OF PESSIMISM.

The Catholic school is ever the source of an elevated concept of life, and in this way tends to ennoble and gladden the heart and create sturdy, self-reliant and contented citizens. Pessimism and its admitted evils, benumbing agnosticism and weak, purblind rationalism are not free to sow their evil seeds in the young mind and heart unchecked. The child is brought from the budding of reason to see God, the source and model of all power and wisdom, all goodness and holiness. Natural instinct and his small experience prepare him to understand man's relations to the Supreme Being as the acme and perfection of all that is good and desirable. A very definite concept of the universe, of nature, history and life is thus formed in the youthful mind. Grown to maturity, the docile pupil takes his place in the mighty scheme of life, conscious of the common end of nature and of man, of the nature and roots of duty and right, of the true sources of evil and imperfection, private and public, and of an overshadowing wisdom on high whose purview nothing escapes, and of an unfathomable love whose attraction is well nigh irresistible.

YOUR PARISH DUTY.

The members of a parish should take an active interest in its affairs. They should have seats in the pews and pay the rent when due. They should attend high mass on Sundays when they can. They should join some Catholic society. They should be the friends of the pastor and support him in his work for their welfare.

If a majority of United States Senators had opposed the elimination of the saloon from Washington local optionists would have insisted that the matter be left with the people. But when the Senate is favorable the people are not taken into consideration. Prohibition people are notoriously inconsistent, but never more so than in their treatment of the people of the nation's capital.

Our returning soldiers are almost a unit in declaring that there is little hope for peace in Mexico. Carranza can not pacify the country, his government being nothing better than an oppression. There is no denying that he is odious to 90 per cent. of the people of Mexico. Why he should continue to be upheld by the Washington administration is puzzling.

Gov. Stanley, complying with the public demand, will call the Kentucky Legislature together not later than March 1, when the taxation system will undergo revision. Until the present laws are changed the State deficits can not be abolished—a condition that greatly retards Kentucky's progress.

Those who cry loudest for war never enlist. Men who would plunge Uncle Sam into the European maelstrom will not fight for him. Look them over and you will verify this assertion.

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COMING EVENTS.

February 5 and 6—Pre-Lenten euchre and lotto at St. Paul's church, South Jackson street, afternoon and evening.

February 8—Euchre and lotto for benefit of St. Augustine's church, afternoon and evening.

February 8—Young Ladies' Sodality euchre and lotto at St. Mary's Hall, 428 South Eighth street, afternoon and evening.

February 12—Lincoln day social for St. Ann's church, at St. Ann's Hall, afternoon and night.

February 15—Lotto of St. Aloysius church (Pewee Valley) in Gambrian Hall, afternoon and night.

February 19—Euchre and lotto, C. K. of A. Social Club, in St. Martin's Hall, evening only.

February 19—Pre-Lenten entertainment by young people of Holy Cross parish.

March 18—Entertainment under auspices of Division 3, A. O. H., in St. Patrick's school hall.

March 18—Entertainment under auspices of Division 4, A. O. H., in Bertrand Hall.

April 14—Annual bridge party of Junior Circle of the Queen's Daughters.

SOCIETY.

Miss Mary Branigan will spend the rest of February at Palm Beach, Fla.

Miss Josie Maher enjoyed a pleasant visit last week with Miss Foley, Pewee Valley.

Miss Margaret Walsh was a week-end guest of Mrs. W. C. Sanders at Eastwood.

J. X. Kessack, of Clifton, is home from an extended business trip through the South.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Thompson have gone to Florida, where they will remain till April.

Miss Winnie Spellman has been visiting at Corydon, Ind., the guest of Mrs. Patrick Griffin.

Miss May Adams Lincoln has been spending the week at Paris, visiting Miss Elizabeth Brown.

Miss Mary Rose Kelly, of South Sixth street, is again able to be out after an illness of two weeks.

Miss Mary Lee McKenna, of Fairfield, was here the past week, the guest of Miss Abbie Wiggington.

Mrs. James C. Welsh and Miss Sue Welsh have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Marcell at Parkview.

Mrs. John A. Cody was hostess to the Sarto Club Wednesday evening at her home on East Spring street, New Albany.

Miss Nell Keane's friends will be glad to learn that she has almost entirely recovered from her recent illness.

Miss Helen Mapother returned Monday from Frankfort, where she attended a party given by Miss Anita Thomas.

Miss Hermine Frey has returned from Tell City, where she was called by the death of her mother, Mrs. Joseph Frey.

Mrs. Ernest Guthrie and son enjoyed a pleasant visit last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Riley at Lebanon Junction.

Miss Elizabeth Gans, of Baltimore, is visiting here, the guest of Miss Catherine Malone at her home in the Highlands.

Mrs. J. S. Hagan and little daughter Louise, who were guests of Mrs. Joseph Price, have returned to their home at New Haven.

Miss Catherine Cotter, of Shelbyville, has been spending the week here with Mrs. A. M. Scoggin, 325 East Wampum avenue.

Friends are congratulating William J. Chawck on the arrival of another little Democrat at his home on South Floyd street.

Miss Lillian Barrett, daughter of Mrs. Mary T. Barrett, is ill with an attack of pertussis at St. Mary and Elizabeth's Hospital.

Miss Charlotte Walsh spent last week in New York City, selecting

summer and fall styles for the Besten & Langen Company.

Miss Anna May Score, who was operated on for appendicitis at St. Anthony's Hospital, has returned home and is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Daily Tipps, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Patrick Flaherty, in Jeffersonville, has returned to her home in Indianapolis.

Magistrate Frank Dacher, Frank Walter and Mac Goss were among those from this city enjoying a vacation at West Baden Springs the past week.

Misses Margaret Shea, of the East End, and Elizabeth Meyers, of East Chestnut street, left this week to spend the remaining winter months in Florida.

Miss Birdie Fischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Fischer, is recovering rapidly from her recent operation at Sts. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John McAteer will leave today for Comfort, Texas, to visit their son, Vincent McAteer, formerly of this city but now an influential resident of the Lone Star State.

Edmund F. Chester, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Chester, is visiting in New Orleans, remaining there until after the Mardi Gras, then going to Deming, N. M., where he is employed.

The marriage of Miss Anna Goss, of Jeffersonville, and William Bracher, of Detroit, was solemnized Tuesday at St. Augustine's church, Rev. Father Halpin performing the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Geary, of Frankfort, came to Louisville Friday to be here over Sunday, and were joined by their daughter, Miss Le Grande Geary, who is attending school at Nazareth.

Miss Lorine Kolb will be the charming hostess to the home of 500 guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kolb, 500 East Broadway. About fifty guests will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wathen have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Pearl Wathen, to John T. Campbell. The wedding was a quiet one and was solemnized at St. Cecilia's church, Rev. Father Craney performing the ceremony.

Quite an interest is being manifested in the approaching baptism of Miss Regina Thoben and Louis Neuhaus, both having a large number of friends. The marriage will take place at St. Boniface church on Wednesday morning, February 14.

Misses Margaret and Mary Gorman chaperoned the following to see "Chin-Chin" Wednesday night: Misses Marguerite Evans, Mary McGuire, Loula Haming, Theo. Haming, Tose McDermott, Nora McDermott, Elizabeth Diehl, Nell Gordon, May Brennan, Lorraine Kaminsch, Anne Bauerle, Nell Baurle, Ellen O'Connell.

Friends and relatives here received this week announcements of the marriage of Miss Caroline Grace McCloskey, formerly of this city, and McCager Watkins at Norfolk, Va. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. John Wilson, of Louisville, and niece of Deputy Jailer Thomas Bennett. After the ceremony the happy couple left for an Eastern honeymoon trip, and later will visit Louisville, where Mrs. Watkins has a wide circle of friends.

ALUMNI REUNION.

Invitations are being issued by the St. Xavier Alumni Association for the annual reunion and banquet, set for Tuesday evening, February 13, at the Inter-Southern Oyster House, Fifth and Jefferson. It is predicted this reunion of St. Xavier's graduates will surpass any since the alumni was founded. Rev. Father Francis Cassidy, S. J., class of '74, now of Creighton University, will be the honor guest, and his toast with that of Rev. Brother James will be the intellectual treats of the evening. The doings of the Stunts Committee will also contribute much merriment to the occasion.

FEBRUARY INTENTION.

"The Church in the Present Crisis" is the general intention of the Sacred Heart League for the month of February. Commenting upon the intention, Father Devine, S. J., says: "The efforts of the Holy Father to soften the sufferings of prisoners and his success in having many of them exchanged have produced a soothing effect upon the public mind."

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OLDEST PRIEST PASSES.

The Rev. John H. Greene, the oldest priest in the South, died Tuesday at Baltimore at the age of ninety-six. He was a native of Ireland and after working on the Dublin Nation came to this country and began as a reporter on the Cincinnati Enquirer. Later he was city editor of that newspaper. When the Civil War began he enlisted with the Tenth Ohio Infantry and served as war correspondent for the Enquirer. After the war he became editor of the Catholic Telegraph and about the same time was admitted to the practice of law in Cincinnati. Father Greene was ordained by his friend, the late Cardinal Venerable of England, as a priest in 1875 in London and became a member of the Josephite order. He labored among the negro congregations in Baltimore until two years ago, when his sight failed. He had written extensively and his poetry enjoyed great reputation.

ST. PATRICK'S.

Monday evening at the school hall at Thirteenth and Market the ladies of St. Patrick's parish will entertain their friends at lotto and euchre. There will be numerous desirable awards and a special lucky prize for the unlucky. All friends of the ladies and the church will be welcome. Hostesses for the evening will be Mesdames Ella Maddox, Mary Kean, Kate Miller and Misses Mary Healy and Nellie Golden.

A PUBLIC NUISANCE.

With the Irish Standard we trust that it will be possible for a New York court to find some good reason for putting Harry Thaw out of the public mind. His presence in America is not only a menace but, what is worse, it is a nuisance. Ever since the public was nauseated with the filthy story of the debauchery of his life the stomach of moral turpitude has been offensive to the public nostrils. As the boasted avenger of an atrocious wrong he was shown to be utterly scorn of every right emotion of the heart. When he was committed to the asylum the decent public hoped that he was permanently retired from public gaze. His unnatural cunning and the money spent in his behalf have kept his notoriety alive. The chain of crime and scandal connected with this degenerate again threatens to lengthen. In his case the only reparation that

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We watched his breathing through the night.

And prayed he must not go.

As in his breast the wave of life kept heaving to and fro,

But when the morn came dim and sad our tears came then in showers.

His death came so suddenly he couldn't say good-bye to those he loved so dear. We know your home is heaven from the bright smile on your face.

Death alone only could cause a cloud so dark for me.

That vacant chair, the lonely home, is all that I can see.

A ray of hope is left to me, which is sure for everyone—

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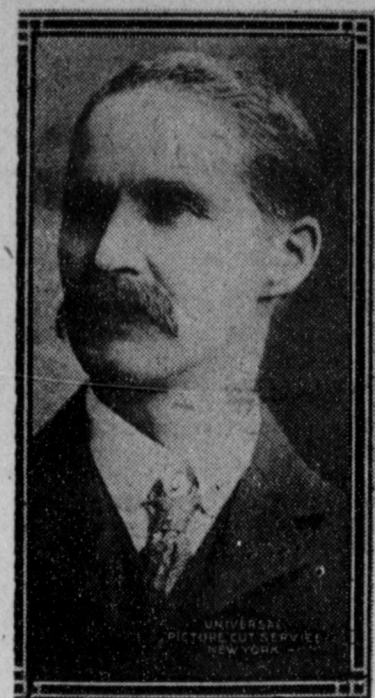
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THEIR POWER GREAT.

Five men attracting widespread attention just now are Representative Schall, of Minnesota, Progressive; Representative Martin, of Louisiana, who used to be a Democrat, but was elected on a Progressive-Protectionist ticket; Representative Randall, of California, the only prohibitionist in Congress; Representative London, of New York, the Socialist, and Representative-elect Fuller, of Massachusetts, an Independent. Neither Democrats nor Republicans will have a majority, or 218 votes, in the new House, enough to elect a Speaker, hence these five men are commanding favors because with them rests the organization of the next House and the fate of many proposed changes in the conduct of its business.

IRELAND'S RAILWAYS.
Word has been received that Baron Shaughnessy, of Canada, railway magnate, has agreed to reorganize the Irish railway system and assist in establishing industries along the lines if home rule is agreed to and a Parliament granted. At present the Irish railways have been taken over by the Government as a result of dissatisfaction among the railway employees. No Sinn Féin supporter is tolerated as an employee.

HIGHER PRICES.
The five and ten cent stores have been hit by the high cost of living, the Kresge stores to change from five and ten cent stores to five and fifteen cent stores after March 1. The Woolworth chain of these stores number 920 and are scattered throughout the country; the McCrory people have 139 stores and the Kresge Company have 162. In round numbers the Woolworth stores did \$37,000,000 worth of business in 1916; the Kresge stores \$26,000,000 and the McCrory stores \$7,000,000.

RANKING NAVY OFFICER.
Admiral William Shepherd Benson, a convert and fourth degree Knight of Columbus, is now the ranking officer of the United States navy, and he will be probably designated to succeed Admiral Dewey as President of the General Board, retaining also his duties as Chief of Naval Operations. Admiral Benson was next in rank to the hero of Manila Bay.

ONLY SUCCESSFUL MAN.
The religious man is the only successful man. Nothing fails with him. Every shaft reaches the mark, if the mark be God. He has wasted no energies. Every hope has been fulfilled beyond his expectation. Every effort has been disproportionately rewarded. Every means has turned out marvelously to be an end because it had God in it, who is our single end.—Father Faber.

ABOUT THE WOMEN.
The average height of the French woman is five feet one inch. The American woman is nearly two inches taller, and the women of Great Britain one-half inch taller than the latter. American women are heavier, their average weight being about 117 pounds.

POTATO SOUP.
Cook and mash three medium sized potatoes. In a quart of milk skim milk may be used, add a slice of onion and a stalk of celery; scald and remove the vegetables, pour over the mashed potato. In a saucepan put two tablespoonfuls of butter, if the milk is skimmed; one if whole milk is used; add two tablespoonfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of salt, and when well blended add a little cold milk and pour it into the soup. Boil up and serve piping hot with toasted crackers.

BIRTHDAY BANQUET.
The eighteenth annual Washington birthday banquet planned by the Y. M. I. councils of Indianapolis promises to be one of the largest and best ever given in that city. It will take place on Sunday evening, February 18, when an attendance of at least 500 is expected.

HAPPENED IN IRELAND.
A shrewd manager in one of Ireland's stores was recently "downed" by a raw junior clerk of unexpected prevision. The clerk had completed a sale to a lady who had purchased shoes, value 21s. 2d. On opening her purse she found she had only 16s. 2d. to pay for them. "Never mind," she said, "I'll take the shoes and pay the 5s. balance tomorrow." The clerk took her money and made up her parcel, and away she went.

Now advances the all-seeing manager, like a destroying angel. "Why!" shouted he, "she may never come back!" "Oh, won't she!" said the clerk. "Of course she'll come back. Shure I've given her two rights."

DIFFER AS TO CHANGE.
Invalid—Doctor, don't you think a change to a warmer climate would do me good?
Doctor—Good gracious! That's just what I'm trying to save you from.

ALCOHOL FROM POTATOES.
Nearly 80 per cent. of Germany's alcohol is made from potatoes. From the potato whisky can also be made. More trouble for prohibitionists.

JOHN LALLY BACK.
Everybody around the Court House was glad to welcome back on Wednesday John F. Lally, the efficient and popular Deputy Circuit Clerk in Judge Field's division of the court, after an absence of six weeks on account of illness. His illness resulted from an injury to his leg several years ago while playing baseball.

GRAND BENEFIT SOCIAL.
Next Monday and Tuesday, afternoon and evening, the people of St. Paul's congregation will give a pre-Lenten social entertainment for the benefit of the church. Games will begin at 2:30 and 8:30, for which many beautiful awards have been secured. There will be amusements for old and young, and the "Parcel Post Booth" will be a live attraction. Preparations have also been made for an inviting supper.

VISITS PARENTS.
Frank J. Martin, who is finishing his studies for the priesthood at Baltimore, was home on a visit this past week to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Martin, of East Chestnut street. His next visit here will be in June, which will be immediately following his ordination.

PUPILS TO PRESENT OPERA.
The presentation of the delightful and musical operetta, "Golden Hair and the Three Bears," by the pupils of St. Bridget's school at the Advent Auditorium, 901 Baxter avenue, next Thursday night, will be of great interest to their parents and friends. There will be 175 children in the cast, who have been carefully rehearsed by the Sisters and promise an entertainment that all will appreciate. The drills will prove one of the attractive features.

CARD PARTY.
Another of the series of successful euchre and lotto parties, given by the people of the parish, will be held Monday night at St. Charles Hall, Twenty-seventh and Chestnut. Games begin at 8:15 and a large attendance is expected.

WINCHESTER.
The Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's church at Winchester held its annual meeting Sunday, when the following officers were elected: C. B. George, President; J. H. Taylor, Vice President; M. A. Donovan, Treasurer, and J. A. McCourt, Secretary. The membership is steadily increasing and the society has already accomplished much good.

VISITED BISHOP.
The Very Rev. T. L. Crowley, O. P., Prior of St. Louis Bertrand's, was a visitor in Covington last week and while there had a pleasant audience with Right Rev. Bishop Brossart.

HOLY CROSS.
The young folks of Holy Cross parish, both girls and boys, are perfecting elaborate preparations for a classy entertainment to be given Monday, February 19, just before Lent.

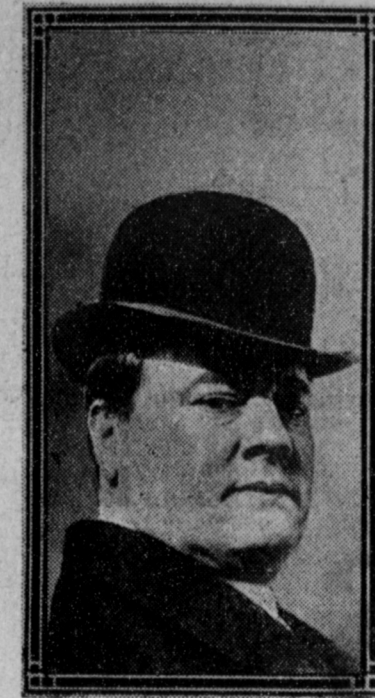
FRANKFORT.
Henry F. Lutkemeier, forty-five years old, one of the best known men in Frankfort and Secretary of the Sewer Hardware Company, died Tuesday night of pneumonia. He had many friends in Louisville to whom the news of his death was a shock.

APPEALS FOR MISSALS.
The Catholic Church Extension Society, 750 McCormack building, Chicago, Ill., would be very grateful if priests having extra missals on hand would send them to the society, at the above address, so that they may supply the needs of 130 missionary priests having requisitions on file for missals. Owing to the European war there is a great scarcity of missals in this country, hence the appeal to the priests of the United States.

WHITE CROSS NURSE.
The White Cross Nurse, published by the American Academy of Christian Democracy and devoted to the social, civic and charity ideals of American womanhood, should prove a welcome addition to the Catholic literature of the day. Beginning without offering much that is valuable to societies, the White Cross Nurse proposes to serve and to cooperate. It is under the direction of Rev. Peter E. Dietz, to whom all communications should be addressed at Hot Springs, N. C. Subscription and co-operative membership is only a dollar a year.

CHURCH COLORS.
The church colors are white, red, green, purple and black. White is the emblem of purity, and is consecrated to the feasts of Our Lord, except those which commemorate his sufferings. This color is also that of the feasts of Mary. White is worn on the solemnities of Our Lady, the angels, and on the feasts of virginity.

Red is the figures of blood and of fire. The church clothes herself in it for those feasts which have connection with the passion of Our Lord. At Pentecost the church wears red to figure forth the mystic fire of the tongues of fire on the heads of the apostles. Red is also used on the feasts of the martyrs. Green in the liturgy, as in nature, is a symbol of hope; it is the emblem of good things to come. The church uses it on the simple Sundays and week days from Pentecost to Advent. From the octave of the Epiphany to Septuagesima we find green in use among the altar ornaments. Purple, the color of the mortification of the flesh by penitence, is reserved to the following periods: Advent, Lent, ember days, vigils and rogations, and the procession of St. Mary, to teach us that we should then expiate our sensual lives by fasting and mortification. Black is used in masses for the dead and on Good Friday.



LORD NORTHCLIFFE.
COURAGEOUS DOCUMENT.

According to Associated Press dispatches Pope Benedict characterized President Wilson's speech as "the most courageous document that has appeared since the beginning of the war." An Italian translation of the speech was given to the Pope by Cardinal Gasparri, and the Pontiff read it with the keenest interest, giving frequent signs of approval and punctuating passages which especially struck him with exclamations of "good," "very good," "excellent." After concluding the reading the Pope said: "It contains many truths and revives the principles of Christian civilization."

WARNING.
Catholics throughout the country are warned in regard to the increasing number of men falsely representing themselves as students of Notre Dame and other universities and securing money under such representation. Their method is to solicit subscriptions to newspapers and magazines to defray expenses at college and when the kindly disposed give them money neither the solicitor or subscription are ever heard from again.

O'NEILL LORD MAYOR.
Alderman Lawrence O'Neill, who has just become Lord Mayor of Dublin, was one of the number arrested at the time of the late rebellion and kept in jail for some days. He was then released without any charge having been made against him. In an impassioned speech at his inauguration he declared that as Lord Mayor he would not receive any man or regiment which came to exploit the city politically, but would receive either King or peasant coming with a message of peace.

GIVES POPE BIBLE.
Emperor William's Christmas gift to Pope Benedict was a Bible, magnificently illuminated and bound at the Royal printing works at Berlin.

FOREST SERVICE.
National forest administration last year was characterized by an increase of more than \$340,000 in receipts. The receipts totaled over \$2,800,000, and were for timber, grazing and water power rentals.

HOLD THE DUST.
When cleaning upholstered furniture place a damp cloth over the piece before beating it. The dust will adhere to the cloth and not rise in the room to settle on something else. Rinse the cloth frequently during the cleaning.

BAKED ONION.
Place the onions unpeeled in a baking dish with a little water and bake until tender, then peel and cut open. Served with butter, pepper and salt they are delicious.

MOTHS HATE PAPER.
Moths hate newspapers and will rarely touch anything wrapped in them. Wrap winter clothes entirely in newspapers before putting them away for the summer and you may feel reasonably certain that moths will not harm them.

POTATO SCONES.
One pound cold potatoes, one ounce butter, two tablespoonfuls milk, one-fourth pound flour, one saltspoonful salt. Boil and mash the potatoes, add the milk and butter, add salt and work in the flour. Roll it out thin, cut in rounds. Bake on a hot, floured griddle. Cook about three minutes on each side.

FLUFFY POTATOES.
After the potatoes have been mashed and the milk added add a pinch of camphor in the cellar or cupboard they infest.

KEEP MICE AWAY.
To keep mice away, place lumps of camphor in the cellar or cupboard they infest.

TOOK FOR LARK.
An Irishman, taking home or his Sunday dinner a large goose, stopped at an inn to obtain a little refreshment. Putting down the goose, he was proceeding to satisfy his thirst when a seedy-looking individual, seizing the bird, made off with it. Pat at once gave chase, and ere running far had his man by the neck. "What did yez take the bird for?" queried the Irishman. "Sure," said the seedy one, "I took it for a lark." "Did yez?" returned Pat. "Begorra, yez'd make a bad judge at a bird show then."

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RECENT DEATHS.

The funeral of Mrs. Lena Schindler, who died Wednesday evening at her home, 2300 Garland avenue, will be held this morning from St. Charles church. Mrs. Schindler was thirty-one years old and had long been ill with cancer.

John Reardon, who had many friends in the East End, died late Monday night of pneumonia at his home, 308 East Jefferson street. He leaves a brother, Michael Reardon, and a sister, Miss Catherine Reardon, both of this city. The funeral was held Thursday morning from St. Michael's church, Rev. Martin O'Connor celebrating solemn requiem mass.

Tuesday morning the funeral of Martin Kennedy was held from St. John's church. His death followed a two months' illness of tuberculosis. The deceased was fifty-seven years old and was a well known city employe. He is survived by two brothers, George Kennedy, of Indianapolis, and William Kennedy, of this city, and a sister, Mrs. Andrew B. Ludwig.

Miss Mary Waller, aged sixty-four, passed from this life Sunday afternoon at the Visitation Home, where she had lived for several years. Miss Waller was a native of Pennsylvania, but had long been connected with the John C. Lewis Company and was widely known. She is survived by a brother, John Waller, of Haden, Kas., who arrived for the funeral, held Tuesday morning at the Cathedral.

His many friends throughout the city deeply grieved to learn of the death Saturday afternoon of Albert Diebold, aged thirty-two, at his home, 2805 West Market street. Deceased was a well known letter carrier, his route being in the business district, where he had the confidence and respect of all. His funeral was held Tuesday morning from St. Columba's church, Rev. Father Maloney officiating at the requiem mass.

A large concourse of sorrowing friends gathered at St. Patrick's church Monday morning to attend the funeral and pay the last tribute of respect to the remains of John W. Garry, whose death occurred Saturday at the residence of his father, Thomas Garry, 513 North Twentieth street. The deceased was born twenty-two years ago and was one of the most popular young men in the West End. For several years he had held a position in the City Tax Receiver's office and was well liked by all having business there.

Michael Herrig, one of the oldest members of the Sacred Heart parish, died Tuesday afternoon of the infirmities of age at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Clear, 2310 Cedar street. He was a native of Ireland and came to this country when a young man. Three other daughters, Mrs. Mark Scordowsky, Mrs. Frederick Nau and Mrs. William Trudeau; two sons, John and Thomas Herrig, all of Louisville, and one sister, Mrs. Matthew J. O'Grady, of Dayton, Ohio, survive him. Funeral services were held Thursday morning at Sacred Heart church, Rev. Father Walsh celebrating the requiem mass.

HOLY ROSARY ACADEMY.

This programme was given on Tuesday by the Literary and Music Clubs of Holy Rosary Academy, when Rev. T. L. Crowley, O. P., was guest of honor at the annual sketch of Coleridge—Catherine Blandford.

Quotation from "The Ancient Mariner"—Class.
The History of the Poem—Clarissa Willenborg.

Sketch of Schubert—Ermagrade Knebelkamp.
Impromptu (Schubert)—Mary Bush.

The Narrative of "The Ancient Mariner"—Agnes Osbourn.
The Story of the Albatross—Alice Dougherty.

"Ave Maria" (Schubert)—Chorus.
The Literary Analysis of "The Ancient Mariner"—Glynn Macklin.

"The Hunter's Song" (Coleridge)—Concert.
The Catholic Version of "The Ancient Mariner"—Dorothy Edelen, Catherine Kilkenny, Alma Hays, Mary Hunter.

"Hark! Hark! the Lark"—Chorus.

QUETLY WEDDED.

A quiet but interesting wedding took place Wednesday evening at St. Charles Borromeo church, the contracting parties being Miss Mabel Hale, a popular young lady of the parish, and Harry Grimes. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left on a honeymoon trip to Cincinnati and the East, carrying with them the best wishes of a legion of friends. The groom is a stepson of Deputy Sheriff D. J. Heffernan and a brother of County Patrolman Thomas Grimes.

GRAND LOTTO.

On Thursday, February 15, afternoon and evening, a grand lotto will be given in Gambirinus Hall, Shelby and Rosalene, by several friends of Father Boes, pastor of St. Aloysius church, for the benefit of his church at Pewee Valley. Games will begin at 2:30 and 8:30. Many valuable prizes, among others a \$250 gold piece, will be offered both afternoon and night. Father Boes invites his many friends to attend this social, which has always proven to be a delightful affair.

MADE THEIR VOWS.

Beautiful and impressive ceremonies were witnessed at Cardone Academy at Georgetown on Tuesday, when three Sisters of the Visitation made their final vows and three more received the habit of the order. They were Miss Margaret Stoltz, of Covington; Miss Niva Collins, of Hamilton, Ohio; Miss Marie Zimmerer, of Detroit, Mich.; Miss Jessie Whitfield, of Morganfield; Miss Ophelia Miles, of St. Joseph, Mo.; Miss Maudie Nally, of O'boro. The Rev. Dean O'Dwyer, of Frankfort, officiated at the ceremony, assisted by Fathers William Curry and E. L. VanBeelaere, of Georgetown.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Union Council at Syracuse last week conferred the second on a class of thirty-five.

May 1 to 4 has been set for a big four-day K. of C. carnival at Columbus, Ohio.

The Indianapolis degree team will exemplify the third at Connersville on February 18.

Michigan Knights are taking active interest in the erection of the students' chapel at Ann Arbor.

There were eighty candidates in the class presented at the joint initiation at Cincinnati last week.

The fourth degree will be conferred on a class of about 150 at Cincinnati on Sunday, February 25.

Twenty candidates received the first degree at Auburn, N. Y., exemplified by a staff from Syracuse.

With the addition of nearly half a hundred new members the council at St. Joseph, Mo., enters the ranks of the "409."

San Salvador Council, of New Haven, Conn., will celebrate the thirty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the K. of C. at Hotel Taft on February 7.

Marquette Council of Kansas City conferred the third on a class of 150 on Sunday. Kansas City Council, there being two there, will receive a class into the order tomorrow.

David Goldstein, the noted lecturer, will be heard in Jeffersonville on February 22. He is now making a tour of Indiana and will speak in all the cities where there are councils.

Newport Council has secured the big drill hall at the Fort Thomas reservation for Shrove Tuesday night, February 20, and preparations are now in progress for the most attractive function yet given in Campbell county.

When Supreme Knight Flaherty visited Bishop Carroll Council at Covington the meeting was graced by the presence of Bishop Brossart, State Deputy James J. O'Brien, District Deputy John J. Donovan and ex-Lieut. Gov. Edward J. McDermott.

HELD BEFORE LENT.

On account of Washington's birthday being in Lent the entertainment of St. Cecilia's congregation will be held on the Monday and Tuesday before Ash Wednesday—February 19 and 20. Monday afternoon and evening euchre and lotto will be played. On Tuesday afternoon there will be a candy pulling for the children and in the evening euchre and lotto. This entertainment will be given to reduce the expense incurred by the remodeling of St. Cecilia's school, which is now one of the best looking and most complete in the West End.

MOURN HER DEATH.

Friends and relatives throughout the city and State are mourning the death of Mrs. Mary Rachel Gault, beloved wife of Major John Gault, retired Louisville and Nashville railroad conductor. Mrs. Gault was long a devout and highly esteemed member of St. Louis Bertrand's church, from where her funeral took place Monday morning. Besides her husband she leaves a son, John W. Gault, and two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Price and Miss Rose Gault, all of Louisville.

LEXINGTON.

A St. Patrick Society has just been organized at Lexington, the principal object of which will be the proper celebration of the feast of St. Patrick each year by the sons of Erin in the Bluegrass section. At the organization meeting B. J. Treacy was chosen President and Edward Houlahan Secretary. Regular meetings will be held and arrangements made for the first banquet on March 17 next. Addresses, songs and a sumptuous repast will be on the programme. An effort will be made by the committee in charge to secure speakers of national prominence.

MADE GENEROUS DEAL.

Henry Ford, the famous automobile manufacturer, is building a Catholic orphan asylum in Detroit, which will have a valuation of nearly a million dollars. The present orphanage, St. Francis' Home, was built in 1907, as a memorial of the golden sacerdotal jubilee of Bishop John S. Foley. Later on the Ford Company located on the land near the home. The extension of business led to the purchase by Ford of the orphanage property. He offered a thirty-three acre tract in another part of the city, and to erect a building twice the size of the present home. The Very Rev. Father Marron, Chancellor of the Diocese, accepted the offer. It will accommodate 550 boys and fifty Sisters.

LEBANON.

Mrs. Kate Spalding, who is widely known throughout Kentucky, died at her home at Lebanon on Tuesday morning following an illness of several months of asthma. Her death came unexpectedly. Mrs. Spalding had not been well since the death of her brother, Archibald John Lancaster Spalding, in Peoria, Ill., last fall. Mrs. Spalding is survived by two sons, County Clerk Sam J. Spalding and Deputy Collector Richard M. Spalding, and three daughters, Mrs. C. W. Hagan, of Lebanon; Mrs. George Boldrick, of New York, and Miss Mary Belle Spalding, of Chicago.

WITH NUPITAL MASS.

A pretty wedding took place on Tuesday in St. Bridget's church at Vine Grove, the contracting parties being Charles Hager and Miss Mary Edna Ray, who are prominent in that section. Rev. Father R. C. Ruff was celebrant of the nuptial mass and performed the ceremony, which was witnessed by many friends of the bride and groom.

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\$168 Solid Oak Dining Room Suite; fumed finish; 9 pieces.....\$150.00	\$41.00 Golden Oak Buffet; quarter-sawn oak.....\$25.00
\$40.00 Solid Mahogany China Cabinet; sale price.....\$25.00	\$30.00 Golden Oak Extension Table; quarter-sawn oak; 6 feet long; 54-inch top.....\$20.00
\$35.00 Early English China Cabinet; sale price.....\$22.50	\$43.00 Solid Oak Extension Table; golden finish; top 54 inches; length 8 feet.....\$38.70
\$30.00 Fumed Oak China Cabinet; sale price.....\$15.00	\$21.00 Solid Oak Extension Table; golden finish; 6 feet long; 48-inch top.....\$17.00
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